

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S5217–S5282

Measures Introduced: Six bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3517–3522. **Page S5268**

Measures Reported:

S. 3104, to permanently authorize Radio Free Asia, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 111–214) **Page S5268**

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Sherry Glied, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services.

Brian Hayes, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the National Labor Relations Board for the term of five years expiring December 16, 2012.

Mark Gaston Pearce, of New York, to be a Member of the National Labor Relations Board for the term of five years expiring August 27, 2013.

Jim R. Esquea, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services.

Benjamin B. Tucker, of New York, to be Deputy Director for State, Local, and Tribal Affairs, Office of National Drug Control Policy.

Mark R. Rosekind, of California, to be a Member of the National Transportation Safety Board for a term expiring December 31, 2014.

John H. Laub, of the District of Columbia, to be Director of the National Institute of Justice.

James P. Lynch, of the District of Columbia, to be Director of the Bureau of Justice Statistics.

Carolyn Hessler Radelet, of the District of Columbia, to be Deputy Director of the Peace Corps.

Anthony R. Coscia, of New Jersey, to be a Director of the Amtrak Board of Directors for a term of five years.

Albert DiClemente, of Delaware, to be a Director of the Amtrak Board of Directors for the remainder of the term expiring July 26, 2011.

Arthur Allen Elkins, Jr., of Maryland, to be Inspector General, Environmental Protection Agency.

Elizabeth L. Littlefield, of the District of Columbia, to be President of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

Donald L. Cook, of Washington, to be Deputy Administrator for Defense Programs, National Nuclear Security Administration.

Judith Ann Stewart Stock, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State (Educational and Cultural Affairs).

Patricia A. Hoffman, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Electricity Delivery and Energy Reliability).

Sharon E. Burke, of Maryland, to be Director of Operational Energy Plans and Programs.

David T. Matsuda, of the District of Columbia, to be Administrator of the Maritime Administration.

Ari Ne'eman, of Maryland, to be a Member of the National Council on Disability for a term expiring September 17, 2012.

Marie Collins Johns, of the District of Columbia, to be Deputy Administrator of the Small Business Administration.

Daniel J. Becker, of Utah, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the State Justice Institute for a term expiring September 17, 2010.

James R. Hannah, of Arkansas, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the State Justice Institute for a term expiring September 17, 2010.

Gayle A. Nachtigal, of Oregon, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the State Justice Institute for a term expiring September 17, 2012.

John B. Nalbandian, of Kentucky, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the State Justice Institute for a term expiring September 17, 2010.

Michael F. Tillman, of California, to be a Member of the Marine Mammal Commission for a term expiring May 13, 2011.

Daryl J. Boness, of Maine, to be a Member of the Marine Mammal Commission for a term expiring May 13, 2010.

Earl F. Weener, of Oregon, to be a Member of the National Transportation Safety Board for the remainder of the term expiring December 31, 2010.

Jeffrey R. Moreland, of Texas, to be a Director of the Amtrak Board of Directors for a term of five years.

Robert Wedgeworth, of Illinois, to be a Member of the National Museum and Library Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2013.

Carla D. Hayden, of Illinois, to be a Member of the National Museum and Library Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2014.

John Coppola, of Florida, to be a Member of the National Museum and Library Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2013.

Winston Tabb, of Maryland, to be a Member of the National Museum and Library Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2013.

Milton C. Lee, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia for the term of fifteen years.

Dana Katherine Bilyeu, of Nevada, to be a Member of the Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board for a term expiring October 11, 2011.

Michael D. Kennedy, of Georgia, to be a Member of Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board for a term expiring September 25, 2010.

Michael D. Kennedy, of Georgia, to be a Member of Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board for a term expiring September 25, 2014.

Dennis P. Walsh, of Maryland, to be Chairman of the Special Panel on Appeals for a term of six years.

Cynthia Chavez Lamar, of New Mexico, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Institute of American Indian and Alaska Native Culture and Arts Development for a term expiring May 19, 2010.

JoAnn Lynn Balzer, of New Mexico, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Institute of American Indian and Alaska Native Culture and Arts Development for a term expiring May 19, 2012.

Marsha J. Rabiteau, of Connecticut, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the State Justice Institute for a term expiring September 17, 2010.

Hernán D. Vera, of California, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the State Justice Institute for a term expiring September 17, 2012.

Katherine Hammack, of Arizona, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army.

Jeffrey A. Lane, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Congressional and Intergovernmental Affairs).

Lana Pollack, of Michigan, to be a Commissioner on the part of the United States on the International Joint Commission, United States and Canada.

Daryl J. Boness, of Maine, to be a Member of the Marine Mammal Commission for a term expiring May 13, 2013.

Adam Gamoran, of Wisconsin, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Board for Education Sciences for a term expiring November 28, 2011.

Deborah Loewenberg Ball, of Michigan, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National

Board for Education Sciences for a term expiring November 28, 2012.

Eduardo M. Ochoa, of California, to be Assistant Secretary for Postsecondary Education, Department of Education.

Margaret R. McLeod, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Board for Education Sciences for a term expiring November 28, 2012.

Bridget Terry Long, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Board for Education Sciences for a term expiring November 28, 2012.

Michael James Warren, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation for a term expiring December 17, 2011.

Michael J. McCord, of Virginia, to be Principal Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller).

James L. Taylor, of Virginia, to be Chief Financial Officer, Department of Labor.

David K. Mineta, of California, to be Deputy Director for Demand Reduction, Office of National Drug Control Policy.

Cheryl A. LaFleur, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission for the term expiring June 30, 2014.

Philip D. Moeller, of Washington, to be a Member of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission for the term expiring June 30, 2015.

Lawrence J. Pijaux, Jr., of Alabama, to be a Member of the National Museum and Library Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2014.

Elizabeth A. McGrath, of Virginia, to be Deputy Chief Management Officer of the Department of Defense.

Thomas Edward Delahanty II, of Maine, to be United States Attorney for the District of Maine for the term of four years.

Wendy J. Olson, of Idaho, to be United States Attorney for the District of Idaho for the term of four years.

James A. Lewis, of Illinois, to be United States Attorney for the Central District of Illinois for the term of four years.

Todd E. Edelman, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia for the term of fifteen years.

Judith Anne Smith, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia for the term of fifteen years.

Donald J. Cazayoux, Jr., of Louisiana, to be United States Attorney for the Middle District of Louisiana for the term of four years.

Pamela Cothran Marsh, of Florida, to be United States Attorney for the Northern District of Florida for the term of four years.

Peter J. Smith, of Pennsylvania, to be United States Attorney for the Middle District of Pennsylvania for the term of four years.

Henry Lee Whitehorn, Sr., of Louisiana, to be United States Marshal for the Western District of Louisiana for the term of four years.

Kevin Anthony Carr, of Wisconsin, to be United States Marshal for the Eastern District of Wisconsin for the term of four years.

Kevin Charles Harrison, of Louisiana, to be United States Marshal for the Middle District of Louisiana for the term of four years.

Charles Gillen Dunne, of New York, to be United States Marshal for the Eastern District of New York for the term of four years.

Tracie Stevens, of Washington, to be Chairman of the National Indian Gaming Commission for the term of three years.

Earl F. Weener, of Oregon, to be a Member of the National Transportation Safety Board for a term expiring December 31, 2015.

A routine list in the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration. **Page S5217–19, S5281–82**

Nomination Discharged: The following nomination was discharged from further committee consideration and placed on the Executive Calendar:

Rafael Moure-Eraso, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Chemical Safety and Hazard Investigation Board for a term of five years, which was sent to the Senate on March 24, 2010, from the Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works.

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 9:51 p.m., until 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, June 23, 2010. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S5281.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

PREVENTING MILITARY SUICIDES

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the progress in preventing military suicides and challenges in detection and care of the invisible wounds of war, after receiving testimony from General Peter W. Chiarelli, Vice Chief of Staff, United States Army, Admiral Jonathan W. Greenert, USN, Vice Chief of Naval Operations, General James F. Amos, Assistant Commandant, United States Marine Corps, and General Carrol H. Chandler, Vice Chief of Staff, United States Air Force, all of the Department of Defense; and Robert Jesse, Acting Principle Deputy Under Secretary of Veterans Affairs for Health, Veterans Health Administration.

INNOVATION IN AMERICA

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Competitiveness, Innovation, and Export Promotion concluded a hearing to examine innovation in America, focusing on opportunities and obstacles, after receiving testimony from Anshu Chopra, Chief Technology Officer and Associate Director, Office of Science and Technology Policy, Executive Office of the President; Robert D. Atkinson, Information Technology and Innovation Foundation, and Stephen J. Uhl, Advanced Medical Technology Association (AdvaMed), both of Washington, D.C.; Rhys L. Williams, New World Angels, Boca Raton, Florida; and Andrew M. Weiss, CoAxia, Inc., Maple Grove, Minnesota.

PROMOTING ELECTRIC VEHICLES ACT

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded a hearing to examine S. 3495, to promote the deployment of plug-in electric drive vehicles, focusing on reducing oil consumption, after receiving testimony from David B. Sandalow, Assistant Secretary of Energy for Policy and International Affairs; Frederick W. Smith, FedEx Corporation, Memphis, Tennessee; Kathryn Clay, Alliance of Automobile Manufacturers, Brian P. Wynne, Electric Drive Transportation Association (EDTA), and Alan T. Crane, The National Academies, all of Washington, D.C.; and David Friedman, Union of Concerned Scientists (UCS), Oviedo, Florida.

SUPERFUND OVERSIGHT

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Superfund, Toxics and Environmental Health concluded an oversight hearing to examine the Environmental Protection Agency's Superfund program, after receiving testimony from Mathy